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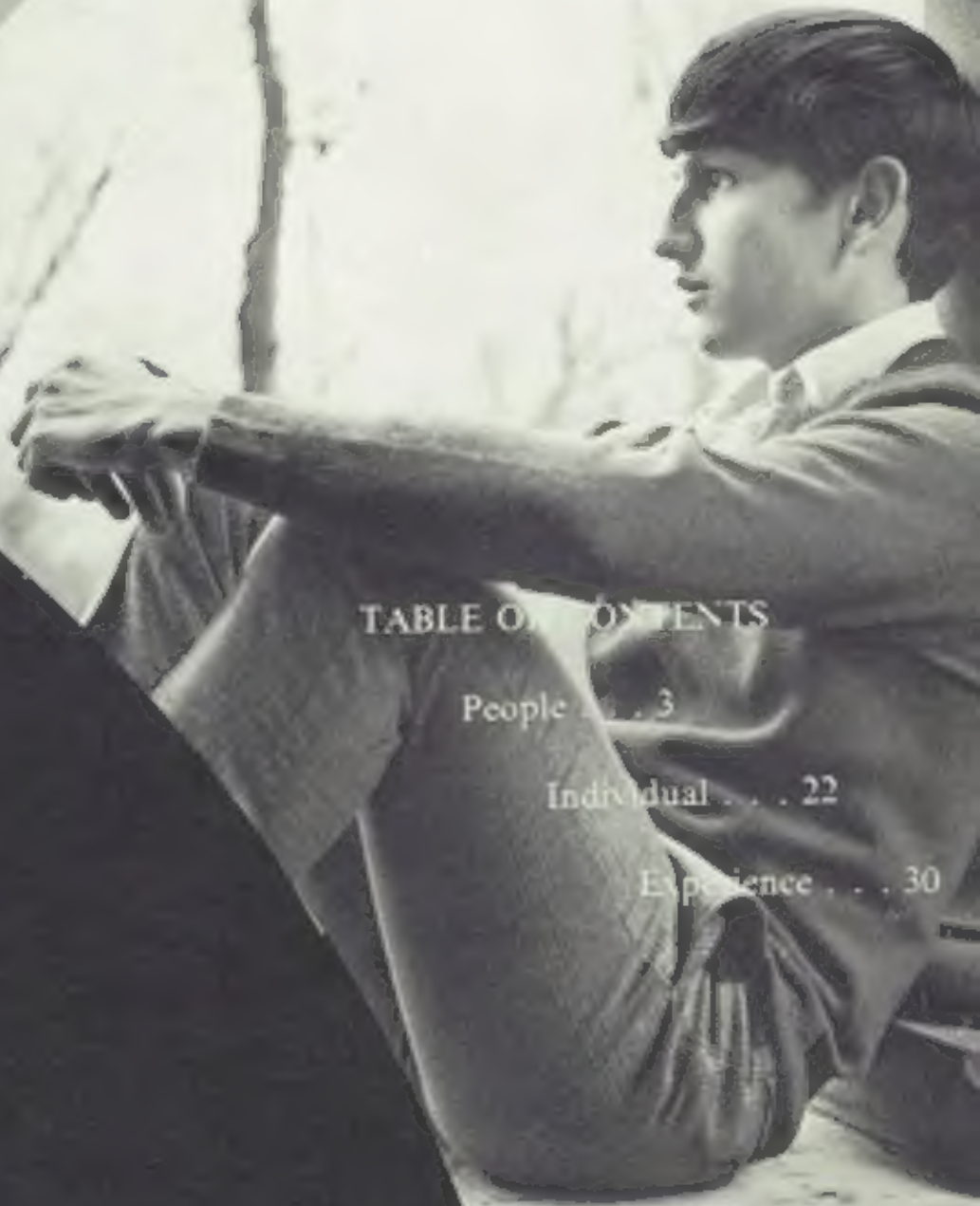


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Throughout the world there are spiritually dead people. People who walk, talk, eat, and sleep, but never communicate. They never work with others in a group. They never fulfill themselves as an intricate part of society. They never come to the realization that they are someone. Alone they are too weak to grow; the help they need never arrives.

People . . . Individual . . . Experience.

At Saint Vincent Prep we learned to work with others. We found ourselves as individuals. We experienced an exchange of personalities.

The people who worked with us and influenced us — the prefects, the other classes, teachers, friends, everybody around us at the Prep — added their little bit to our personality.

To each individual of the Class of 1970, all of his classmates were individuals. For each added so much to the others that he became a significant part of his classmates.

We arrived at this experience through the exertion of both the mind and the body. Together we tried, together we failed, together we grew.

We came here unaware of ourselves, but gradually came to realization. In this yearbook we have attempted to reflect our growth at Saint Vincent Prep.





In our four years at the Prep we have met many people. On campus we became acquainted with teachers, collegians, seminarians, monks, and six other Prep classes. We encountered students from other schools on the athletic fields and at forensics tournaments in friendly, and — sometimes not so friendly competition. This year, for the first time, our class and the remainder of the student body spent a weekend in retreat with St. Joseph Hall, meeting and trying to communicate with the members of another community.

Besides merely having met people, we also discovered a few things about human nature. We found that priests are human and that they too make mistakes. We found that there are just as many selfish people as there are generous people. We learned that living with others successfully calls for individual sacrifice.

It is impossible for us, in this book, to remember everyone we met while we lived at the Prep. But, to those people mentioned in this book and to those not mentioned, we would like to say "Thanks." Thanks for being a part of our lives.

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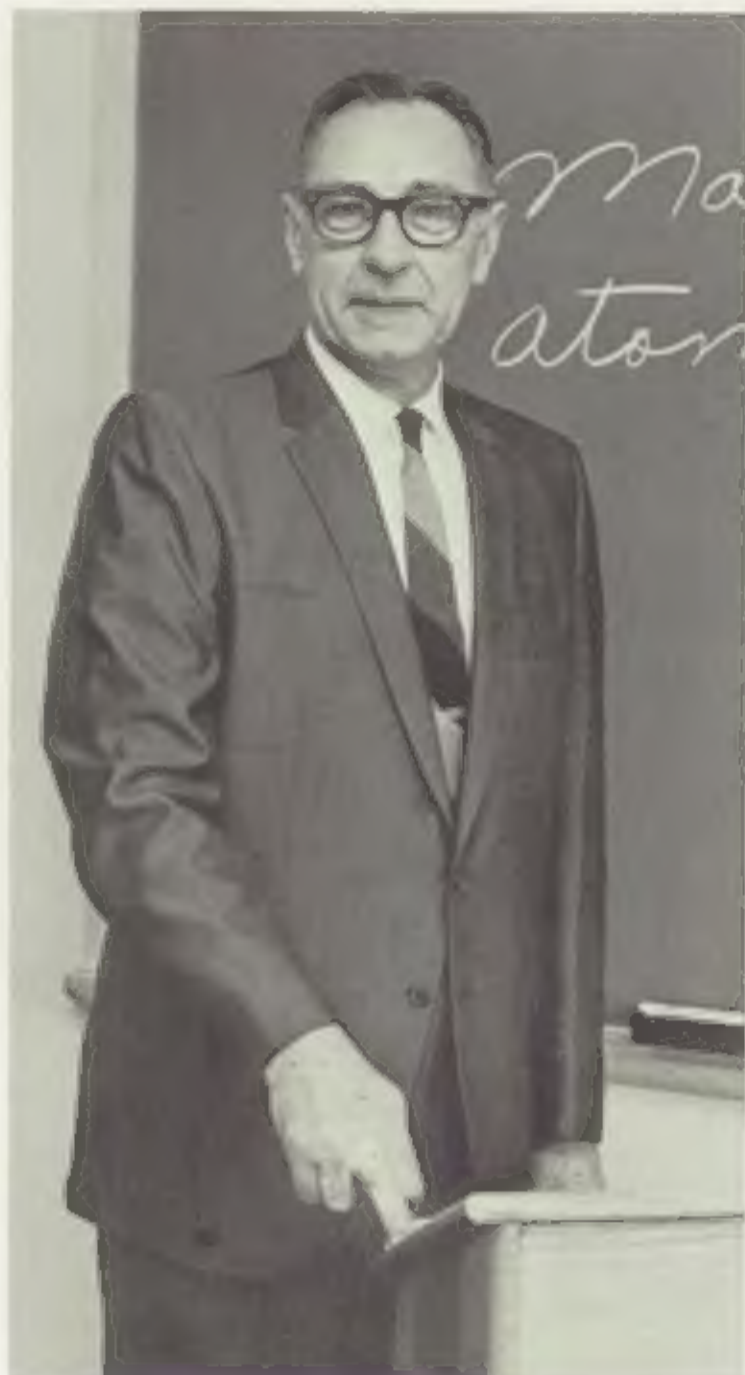
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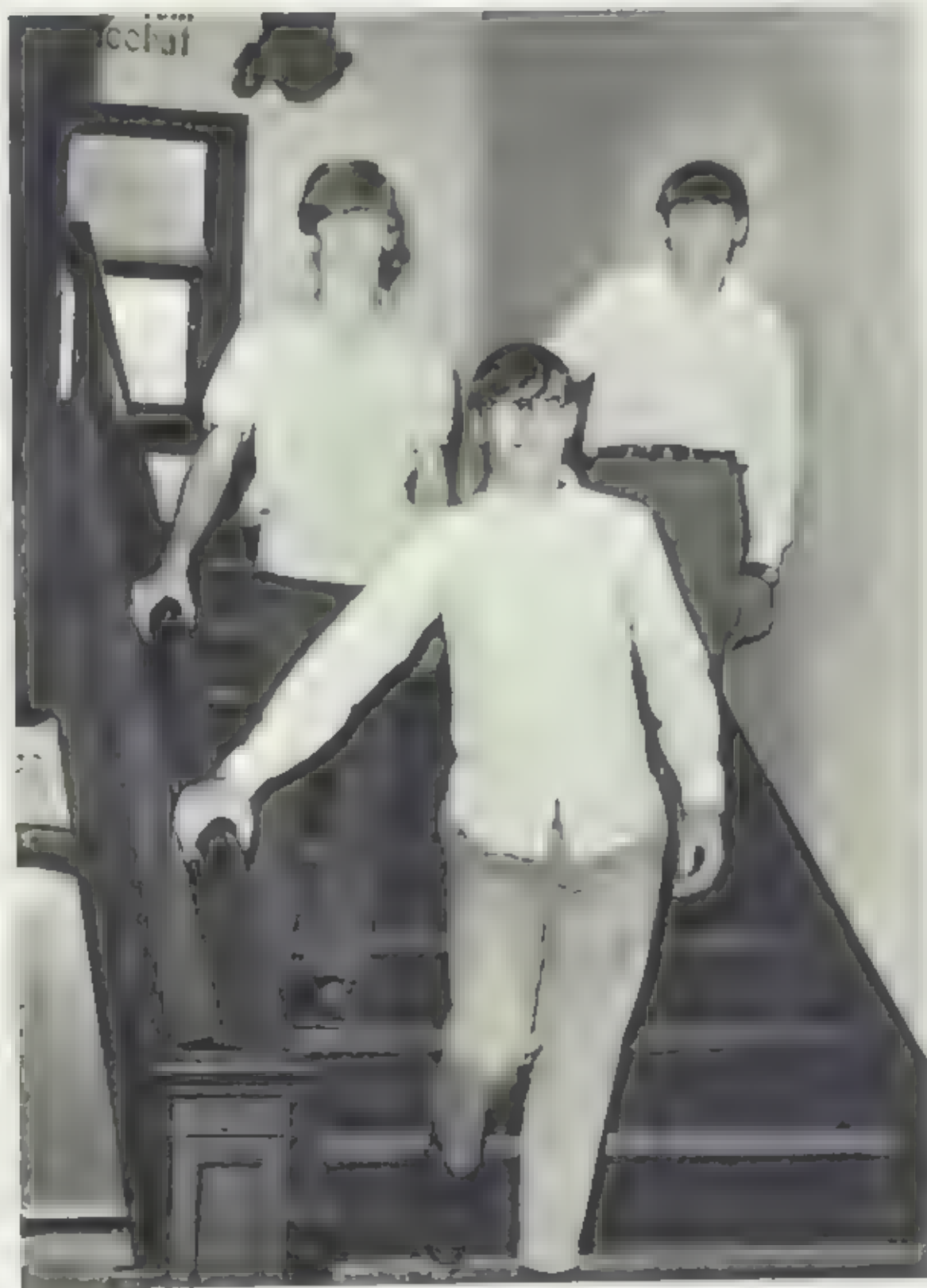
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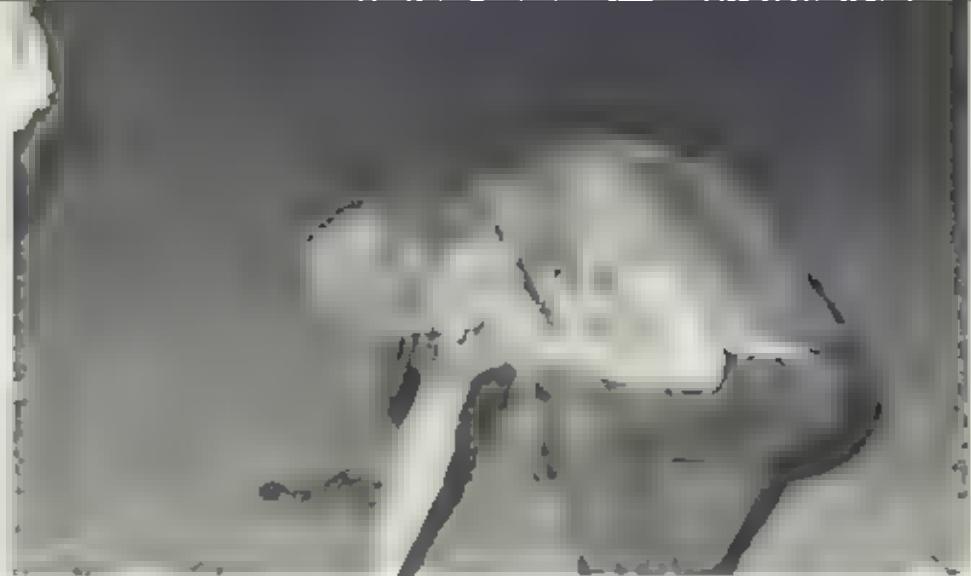
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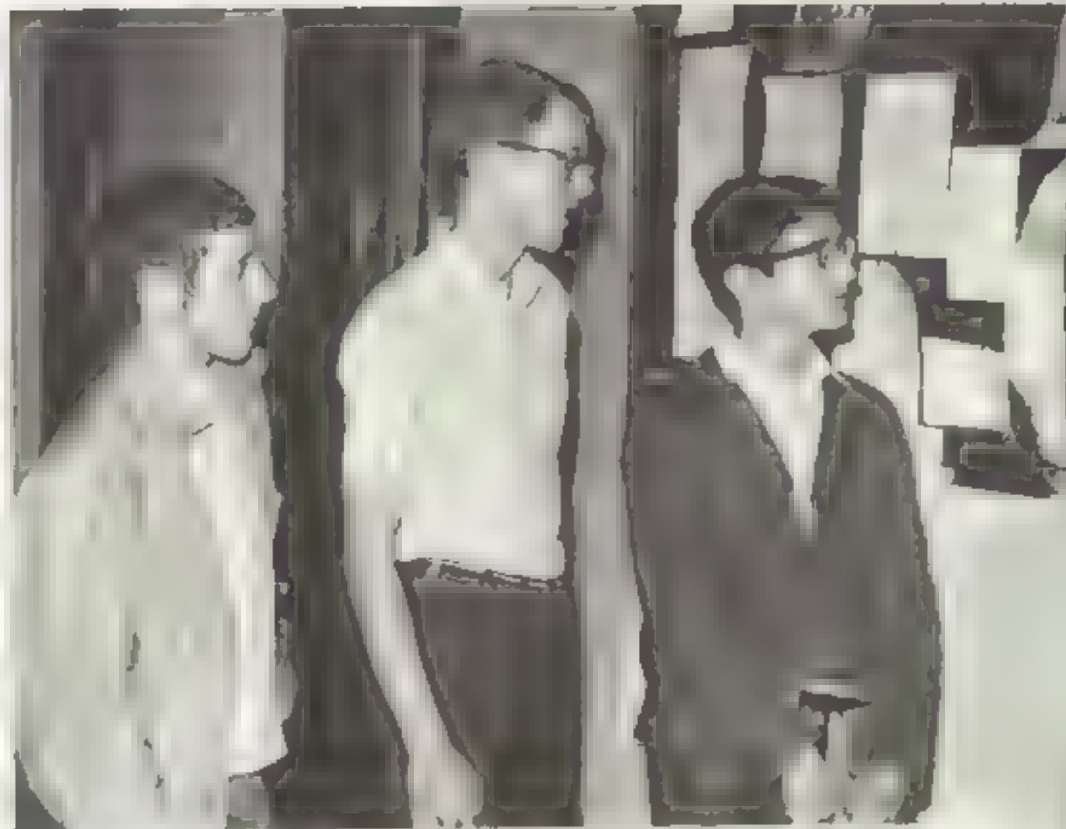


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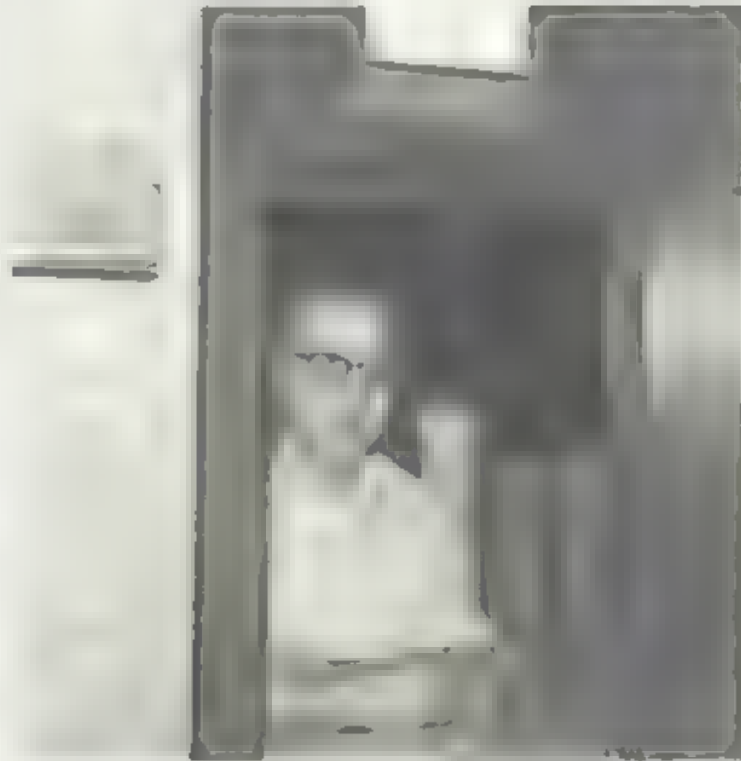


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Other People











An individual is one who cuts his own path and follows it. He is able to think and act for himself. He is able to make his own decisions, and he is able to cope with his own problems. The individual is true to that which he believes. He may not always be right, but in any case he still holds his own. He is a non-conformist but is not afraid to conform if the need arises. He is true to himself and to others. **The individual is a mature person.**

Externals don't make an individual. Smoking Old Gold Filters, "The cigarette for independent people," or wearing Bravura after shave lotion, "for the man who hears a different drummer drumming," will not endow you with individuality. People who wear wild clothes, long hair, or who sit on flagpoles do something different from others, but what they do does not necessarily make them individuals. They are usually people who want to attract attention to themselves, people whose **only desire is to be a pace setter, or people who are afraid to be different from everyone else.**

The individual is what he is because he does things from the heart. His ideas are formulated by him alone, although they may be the same as others. He will listen to advice and opinions, but it is he alone who makes the final decision.

Being an individual is not easy. The hardest test of one's individuality is when he is among others. Men who are individuals are usually looked upon with distaste by the general public because those men dare to be themselves. **Being an individual may be painful, but the rewards are plentiful.**

Dedication

The road to maturity is not easily traveled. It is blocked by obstacles of insecurity, uncertainty, and confusion. The journey can only be completed if one has courage and perseverance.

The hardest obstacle to overcome is decision-making. Decision-making is not an overnight process; it takes time. One must decide what his goal in life will be; it will be his plan of attack on maturity. In making decisions one's experiences will be invaluable to him. From experiences one will acquire attitudes and values. He will discover his strong points and his weak points. Discovering one's talents and the values and attitudes which are most significant to him, will enable one to choose the goal which is most meaningful and suitable to him.

There is a man in the Prep administration who gave us such advice; advice that was helpful, advice that will linger. In athletics he gave us experiences that were valuable to us. In the classroom and private counseling, he prodded our minds to simulate thought. He encouraged us to persevere. He showed us how to handle defeat, and he taught us how to win. He urged us to think for ourselves, to reflect on our experiences, to make the right decisions. He wanted to make us men. Somewhere along the line we think he has succeeded.

In deep appreciation for all this man has done for us, we dedicate this book to him. We dedicate it to him, not as just a priest, teacher, and coach, but as a friend. We the 1970 Senior Class of Saint Vincent Prep dedicate this volume of the *Chimes* to the Reverend Father Vernon Holtz, O S B.





Joseph Robert Buck



This year Bucky has come into his own. He has thrown off the constraints of conformity and has begun to think for himself. Bucky's success will be measured not by what goal he chooses, but by how hard he tries.

SENIORS



Paul Frank D'Antonio



Carno has proved to us that sports isn't just for the big boys by lettering in both soccer and basketball. But he didn't limit his endeavors to the physical arena. He also exercised his creative abilities as Lay-out Editor of the *Chimes*.



Paul Carl Carnicelli



During his stay at the Prep, "D" displayed characteristics of natural creativeness, inquisitiveness, and lots of school spirit. His artistic ability led him to be elected to the *Chimes* staff as Art Editor. His inquisitiveness led him to be a pain in the neck. His school spirit was expressed by wearing the Bearcat costumes at home games.



Gregg Anthony Fiorina

Gregg has proved himself in two aspects this year: he earned a first string position on the varsity soccer squad and was president of the most innovated student council in Prep history. With such a wide variety of talents, Gregg has a good chance of being something.



Mark Jaroszewski

Everywhere Jaros goes, people look at him in wonder. Is he hippie, communist, fascist, or what? We know that he is none of these. He is the liberal who has balanced archaic systems and has made the class whole. His opinion is respected as shown by his presidency of the National Honor Society. These two facts will enable him to face life squarely and to conquer his goals.



Benedict Alan Lieb



If any player deserves credit for the Prep's 11-1 record, it's Ben. On the field he seemed to be everywhere at once giving encouragement to the other players. Off the field, his sincerity gave us a feeling of well being. We wish Ben the best of luck in whatever he does.



Charles Patrick Lynn



Charlie usually doesn't have much to say, but when he does something he does it well. Among his accomplishments are two letters in basketball, membership in the National Honor Society, and the office of Treasurer of the National Junior Classical League 1968-69



David Momper

In spite of his slow and easy manner Dave is a hustler on the athletic fields. This was proven as he lettered three years in soccer and two years in basketball. But the thing we will remember most about Dave is his naive stubbornness. His drive and curiosity will make life more interesting for him.





Edward George Mulligan

During our four years together Ed has displayed a keen wit. This year Ed surprised most people by exhibiting a great ability to organize. As Editor-in Chief of the *Chimes*, Ed pushed and worked his staff up to the final deadline. Without Ed the book may never have been completed



Dennis Charles O'Brien

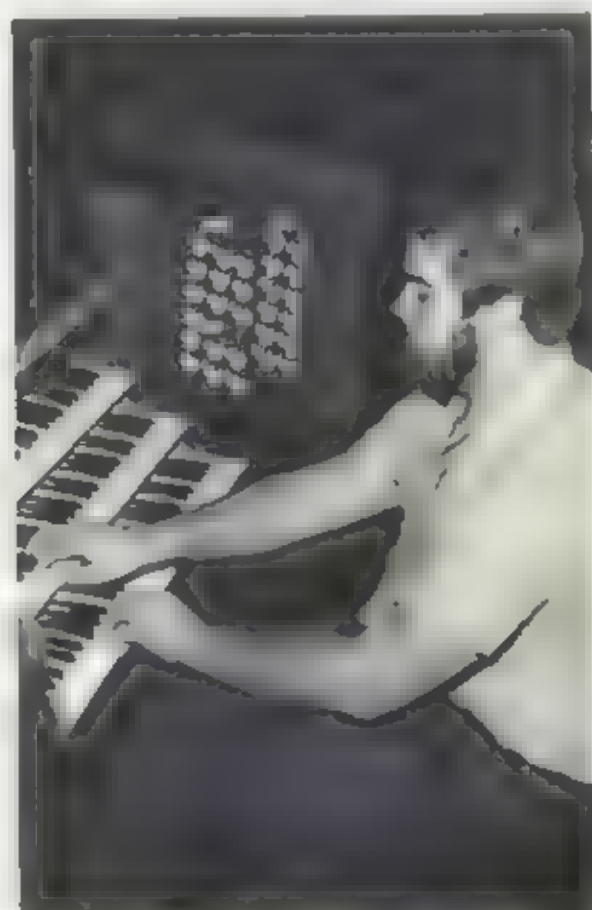


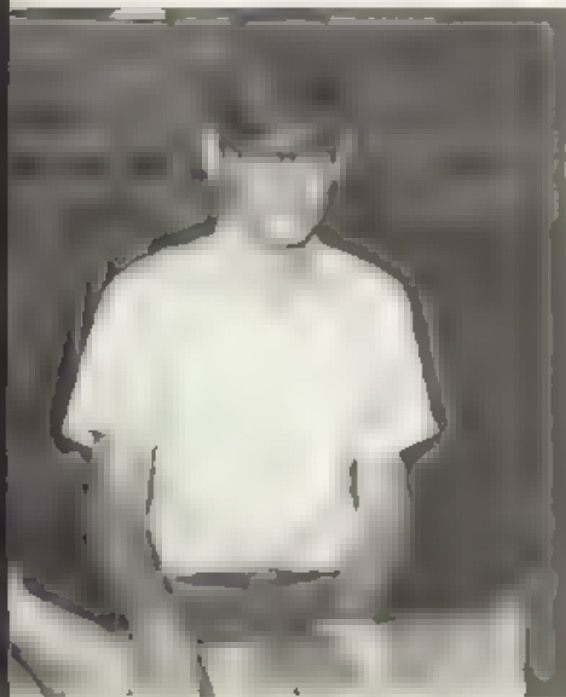
O B is the most versatile member of the class. He always had something to add to class discussions and was always willing to explain problems presented in the classroom. Because of his consistent academic achievement, he was elected to the National Honor Society in his Junior year. His resourcefulness was further shown in forensics and as a member of the *Chimes* staff. O B should be assured of many friends and much success in the future.

Thad is the class' accomplished musician. His four years of pounding on the keyboards have brought him recognition not only in the Prep but throughout the Archabbey. His biggest hang-up, though, is Canon Law.



Edward Thaddeus Paulhamus





Armand Policicchio

Armand is another good organizer. As head varsity manager he was in charge of keeping all the athletic equipment in good condition. He also exhibited further organizing ability and initiative as Business Manager of the *Chimes*.



Ronald George Rosemeier

Ron's motto is, "I'll try anything once." This has led to experiments in sleep learning, rocket launching, and hitchhiking. With this attitude Ron will be able to make a good go at anything he tries.





Paul Amandus Thomas

Crack is highly competitive. Before his roommates, his classmates, and the team, he demonstrated a spirited drive to be on top. His firm resolve will be an asset to him in the future.



Don Hughey Webb



"Mike" probably has the lightest heart in the class. In times of crisis we could always turn to him for a good joke and a quick laugh. As head of the Social Committee, he was in charge of organizing all the Prep socials. His good sense of humor will pull him out of many sticky situations in times to come.



Although Albert's main work during his stay at the Prep was for the Mission Society, he will be best remembered among the Seniors for his cold, irrefutable logic. When asked why the sale of mission pop was declining, Albert replied, "People aren't buying as much."



Albert Francis Wessel



We came to the Prep during adolescence, the most important and trying years of our lives. We were in the middle of an identity crisis, trying to find out who we were. Through our experiences at the Prep, we began to find identity.

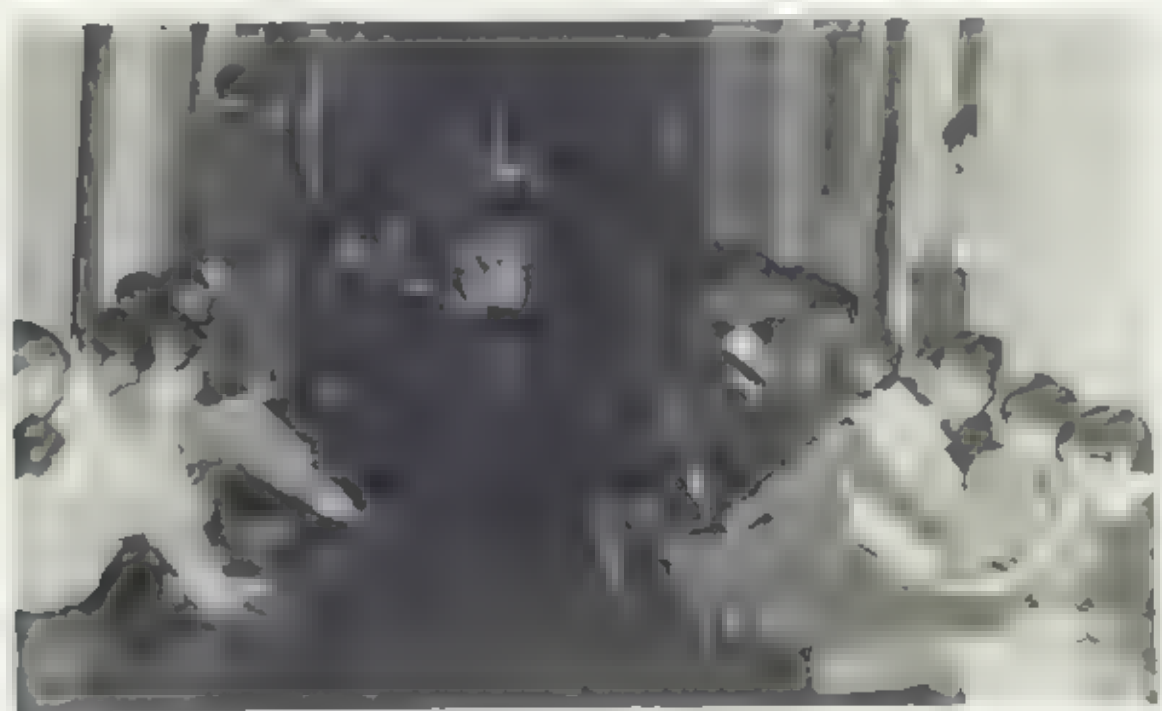
In our religious experiences—Mass, retreat, and night prayers—we found ourselves becoming Christian men.

In our extra-curricular activities we discovered talents we were not aware of before we came to the Prep.

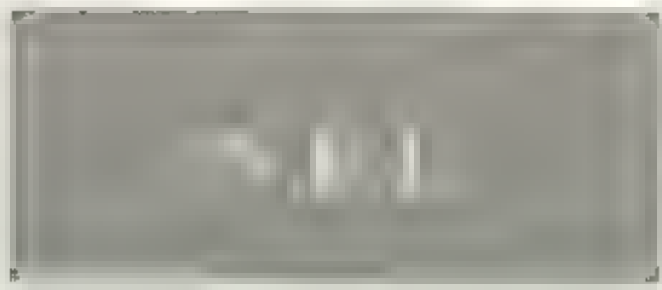
In sports we experienced many of the aspects of life. We felt joy and sorrow, pride and embarrassment, victory and defeat.

But the experiences we will remember most of all will be the little experiences we shared with each other. Experiences like ball sessions until three in the morning, skipping off campus, or somebody making a wise crack in class, the experiences where we revealed our true selves.

All adolescents should learn to find the values in their experiences; they should learn to seek the meaning in their experiences. However, merely finding the meaning is not sufficient. The most important phase in recognizing experiences is to incorporate the values and attitudes gained from those experiences into one's daily life. It can be summed up by saying, "Live and learn."



National Honor Society



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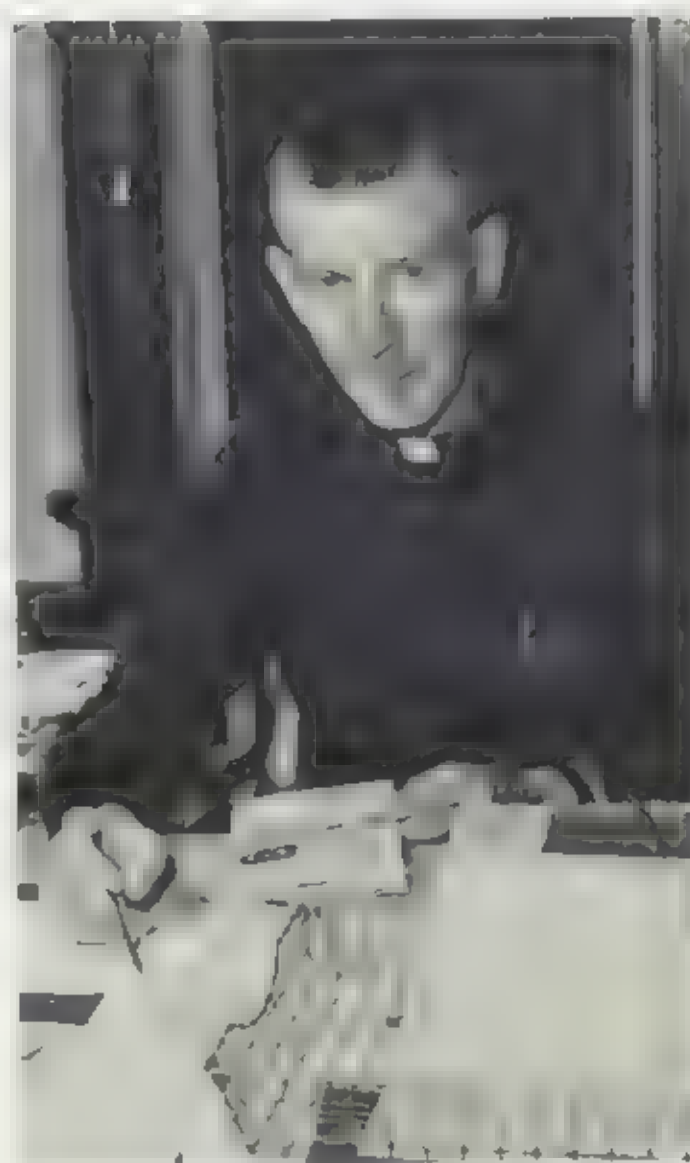




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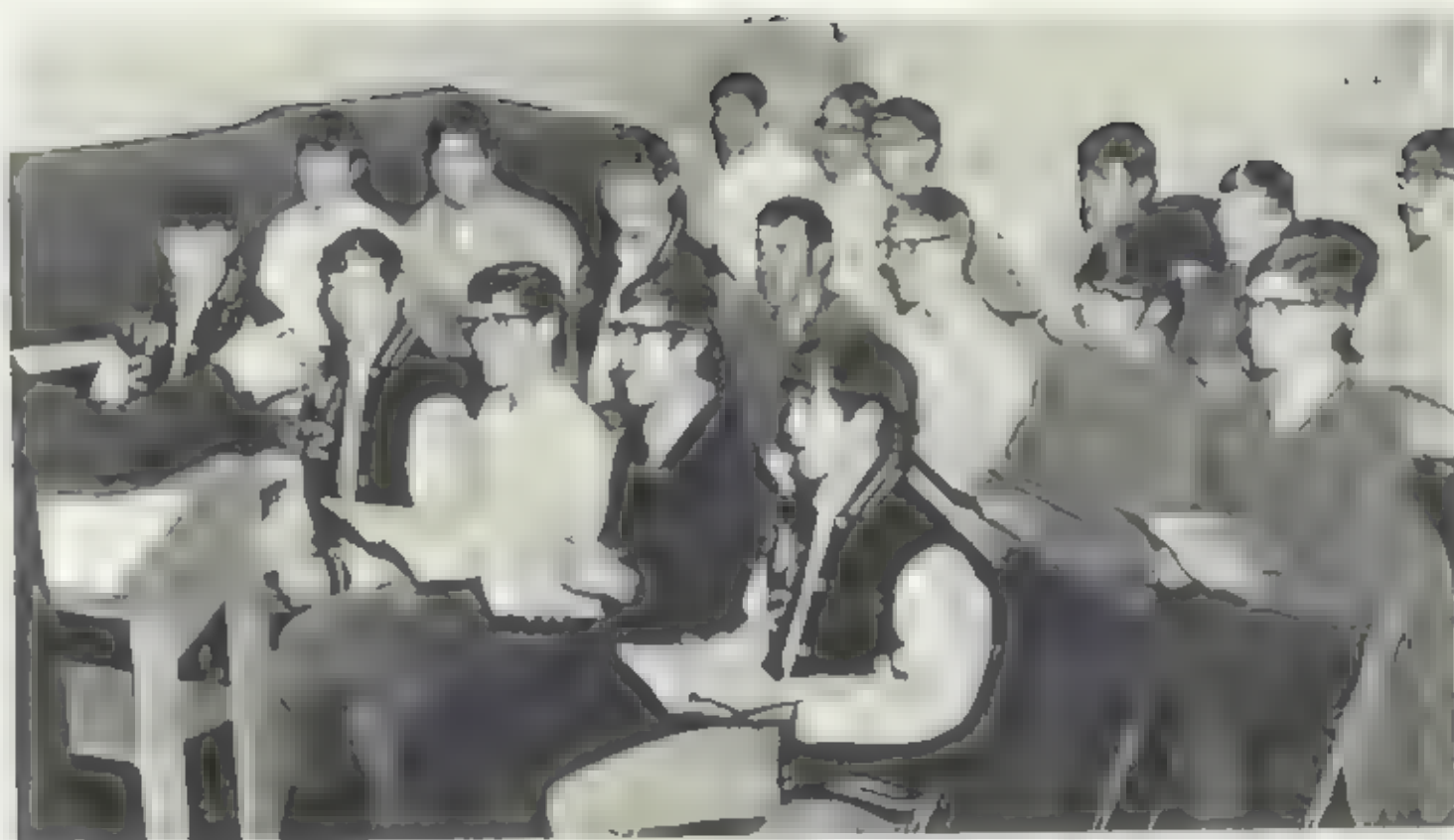


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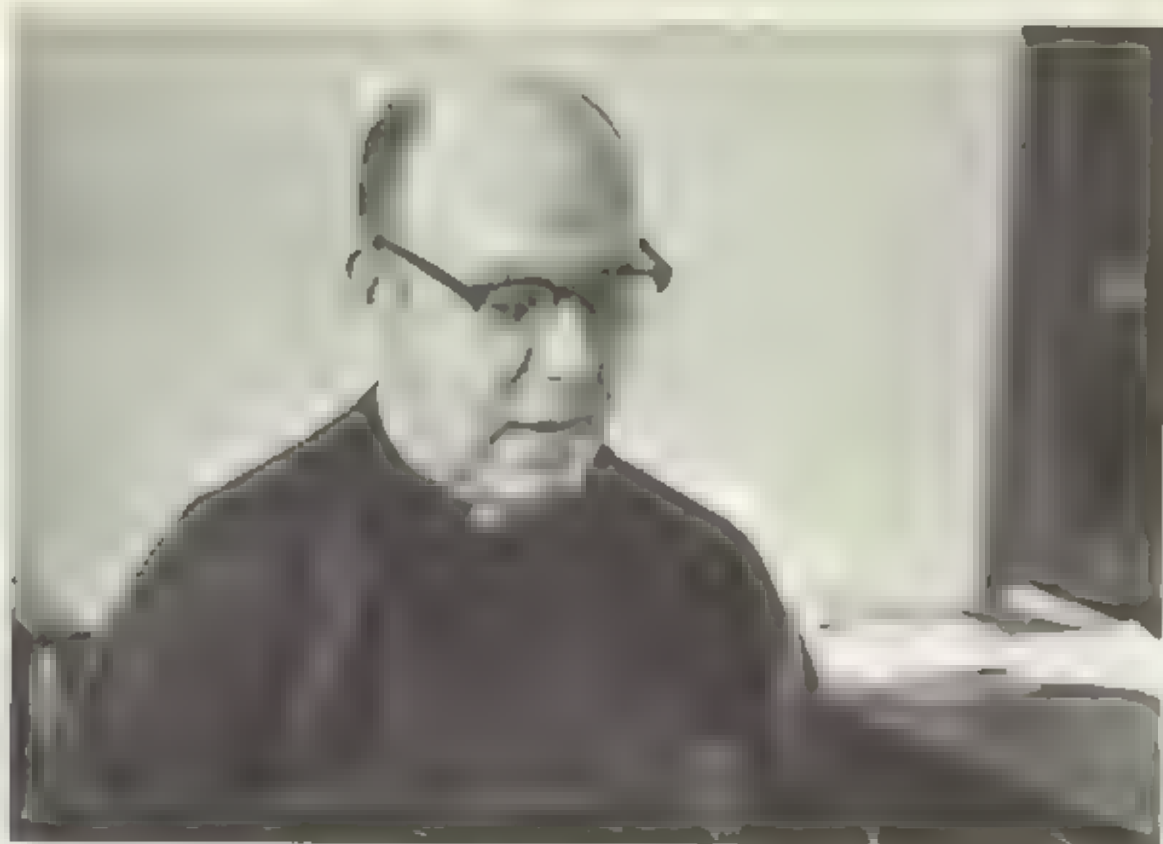
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Moderator Fr. Arthur Holtz, O.S.B.



Monks for Human Change OSB

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State Treasurer: Ed Smith

Varsity Club



Officers: D. Momper, P. Carmichael, B. Lieb



Moderator: Mr. Vernon Holtz
OSB

Schola



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Soccer Varsity



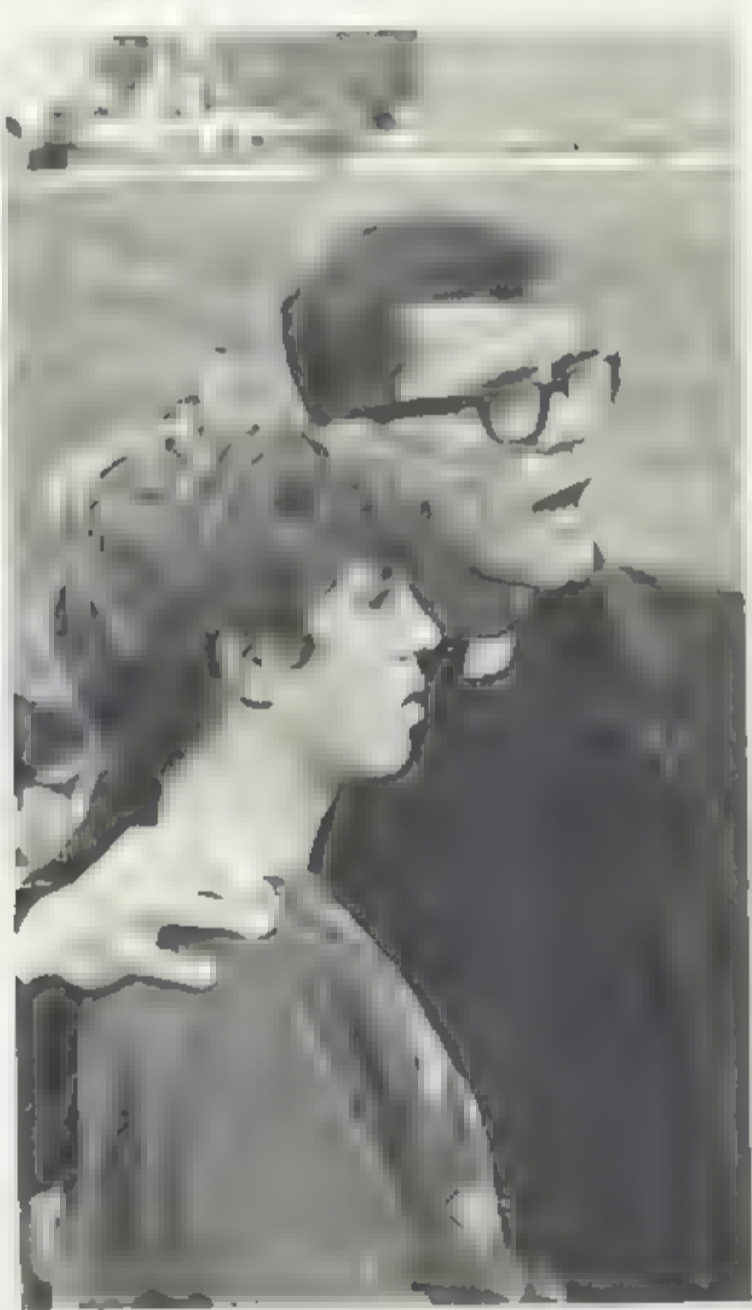
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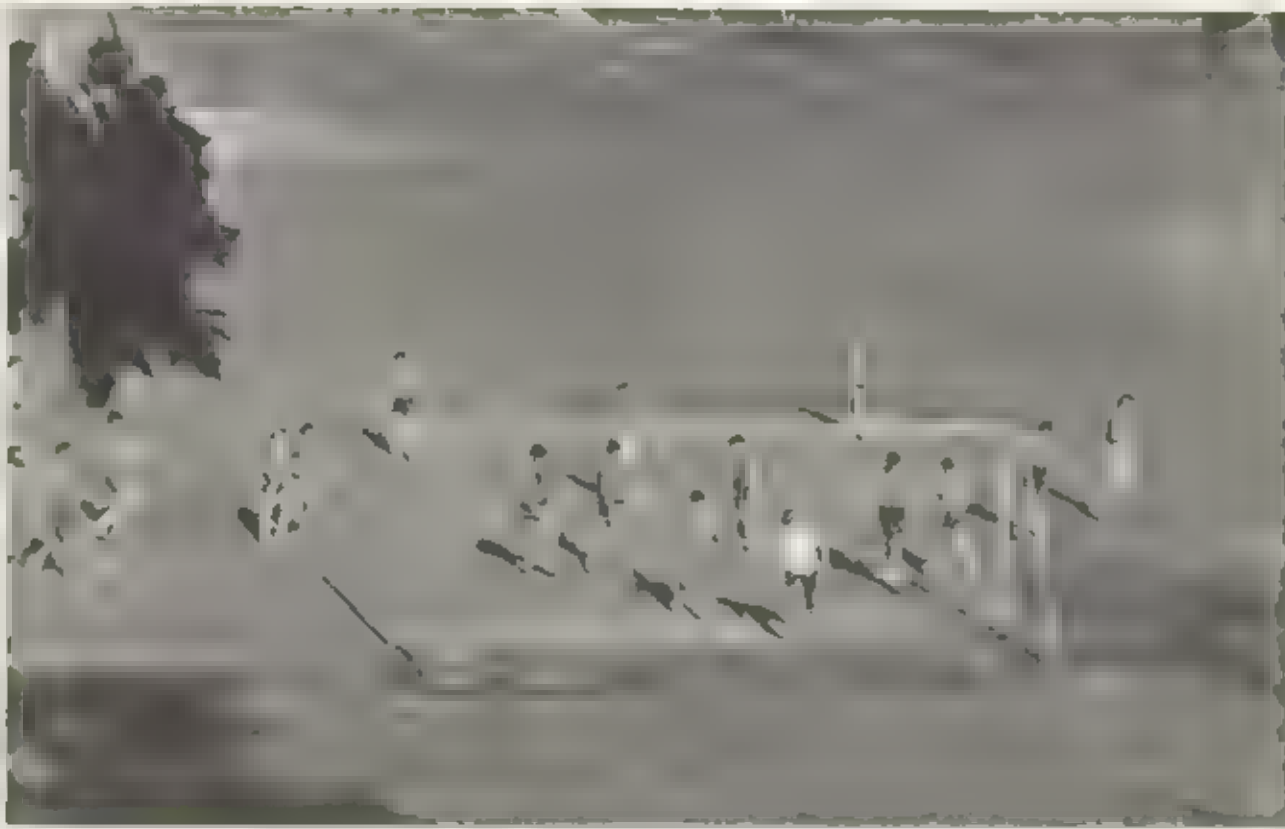
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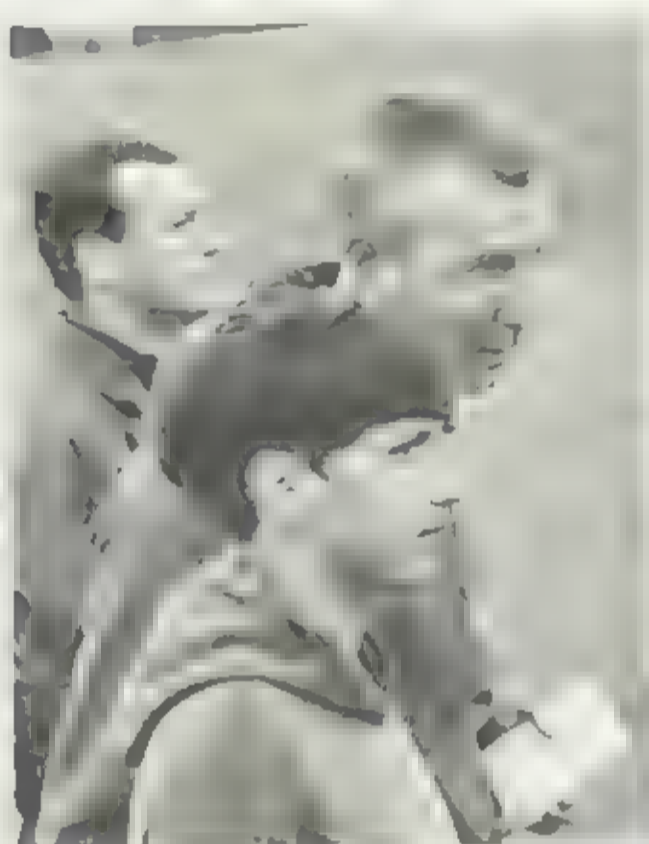


Varsity Scores

S V P		Opp
5	Worthington	1
2	Elderton	1
3	Pgh. Central Catholic	1
2	Worthington	0
6	Shadyside Academy	1
2	Dayton	1
6	Fr. Kolb	3
1	W P S D	2
6	Fr. Kolb	1
3	Elderton	1
2	Pgh. Central Catholic	1
2	W. P S D	1

Wins - 11 Losses - 1

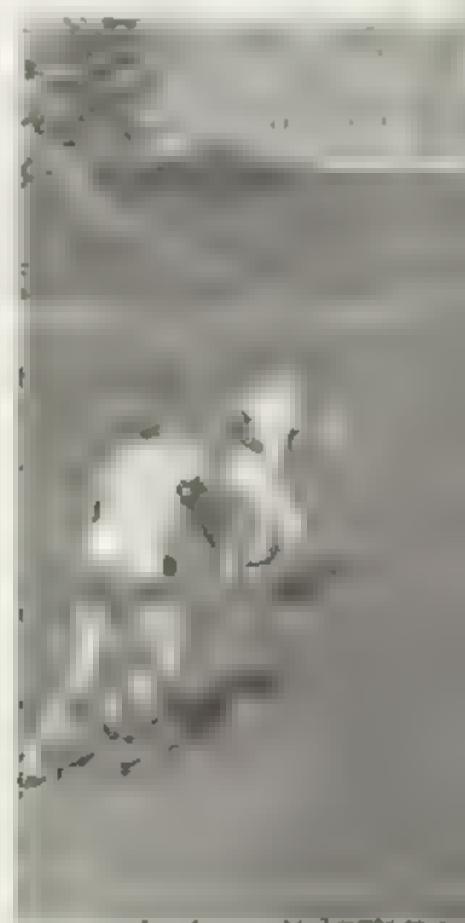




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J.V. SCORES

SVP		Opp
1	Leontop	0
4	W P S D	0
3	Eidertan	1
0	W P S D	
Wins 2 Losses 0 Ties 2		





First Row: T. Lckaych, B. Seiler, J. Owens, B. Giehlred, W. Wagenrodt, P. Cronauer Second Row: L. Dorsa, S. Helsely, P. Niemiec, W. Jimerson, S. Chiebovic, N. Campagna, Missing D. Butler, M. Ceraso, G. Hed, C. Kronewetter, D. Mrazvitz, V. Niesslein

FROSH



Coach
Fr. Stanley Markiewicz, O.S.B.

Frosh Scores			
Prep			Opp
4	Sewickley	0
4	Valley School	0
2	Sewickley	1
Wins 3. Losses - 0. Ties 0			



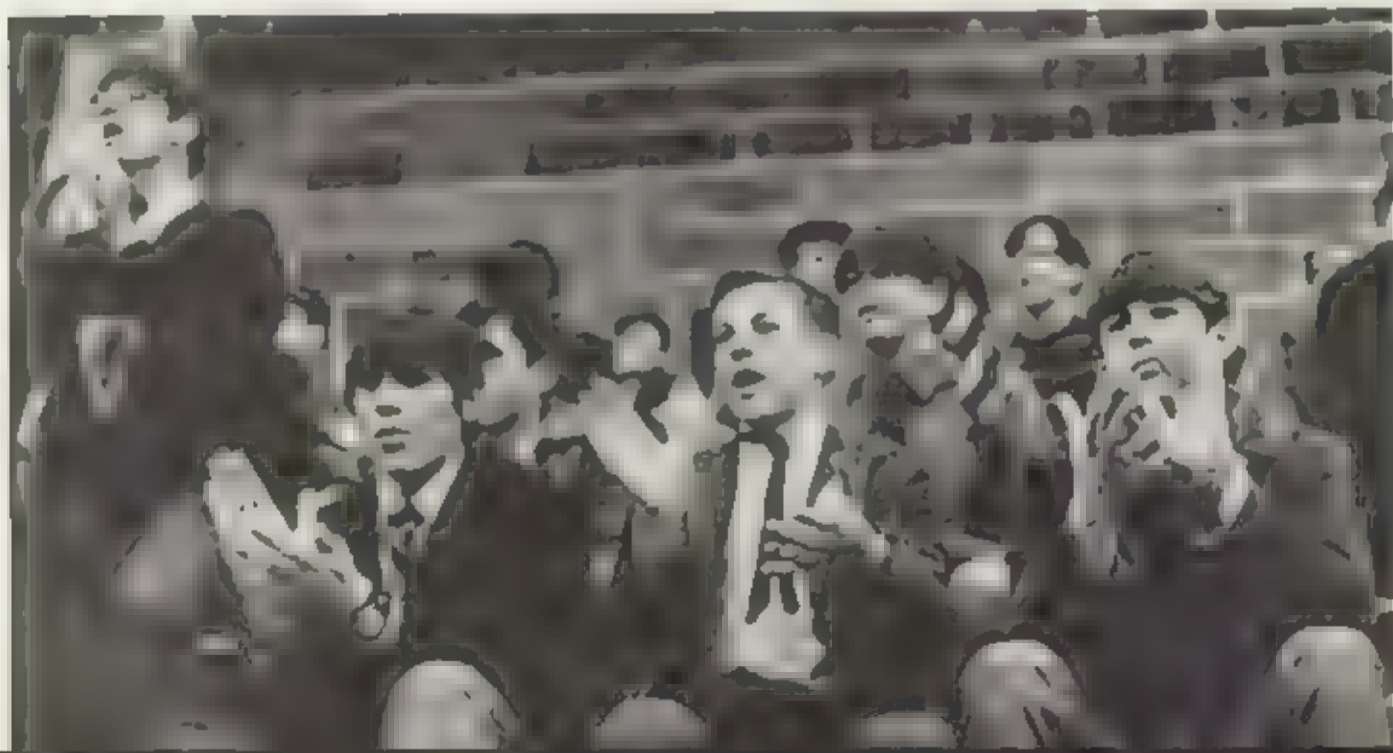
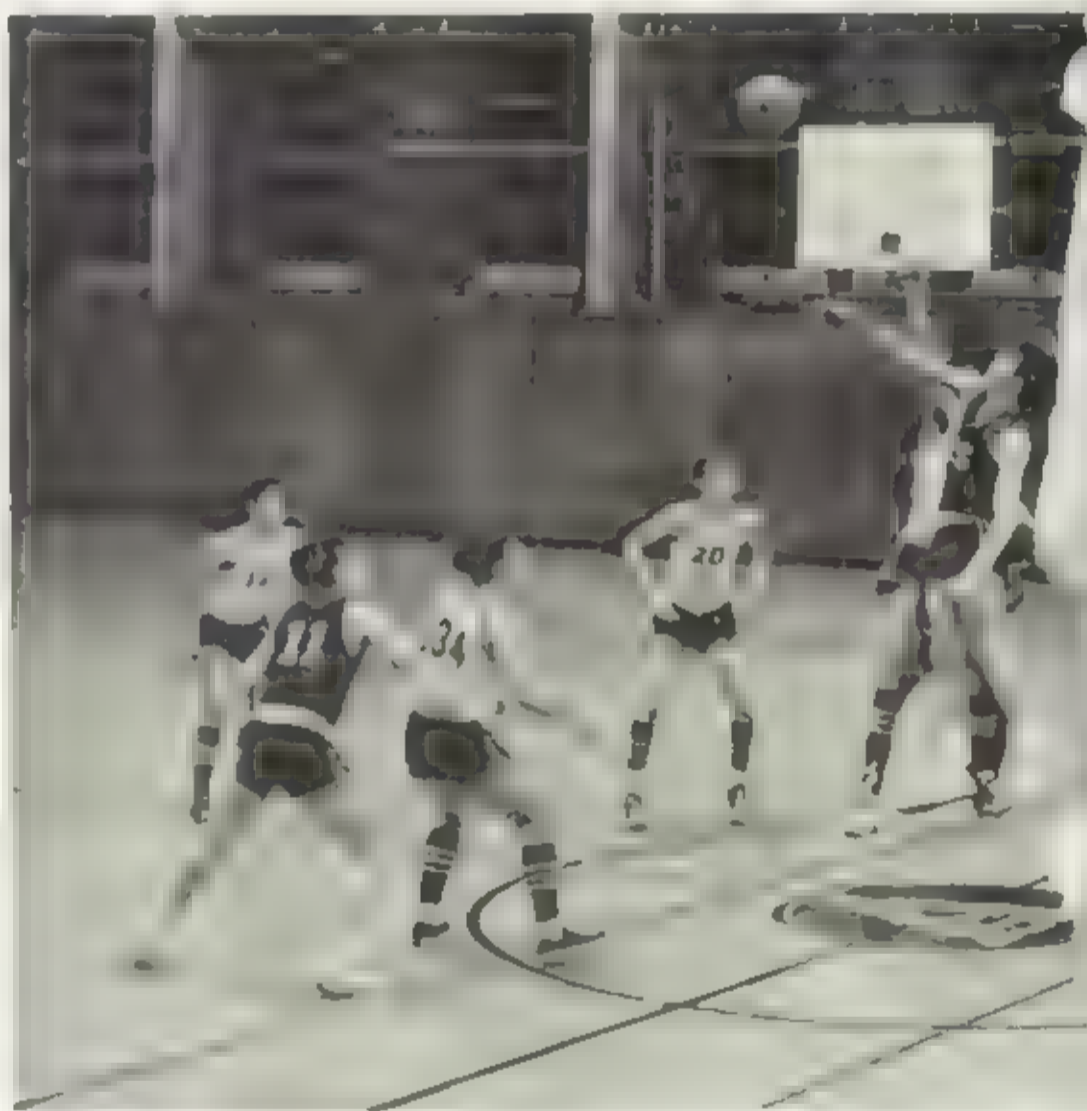
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VARSITY SCORES

S V P.	Opp
62 . . . Bishop's Latin	78
48 . . . Quigley	53
59 . . . Ligonier	76
53 . . . Lawrenceville	69
52 . . . Bishop's Latin	42
51 . . . Rockwood Area	67
65 . . . Worthington	35
55 . . . Elderton	70
56 . . . Jefferson-Morgan	43
47 . . . Saltsburg	44
55 . . . W P S D	34
57 . . . St. Joseph Hall	46
72 . . . Saltsburg	86
50 . . . W P S D	61
49 . . . Kiski Prep	70
49 . . . St. John	80
77 . . . St. Marvs	50
55 . . . Fr. Kolb	59
67 . . . Jefferson-Morgan	76
56 . . . St. Joseph Hall	46
44 . . . Fr. Geibel	78
53 . . . St. John	91
52 . . . Fr. Kolb	64

Wins - 8 Losses - 15



JV's



Coaches Mr L. Korechnak and John Savage



First Row: W. Rietscha, M. Farabaugh, D. Galuska, R. DeKett, J. Lynn, E. D'Antonio, Second Row: D. Geisler (Manager), M. Sracic, G. Lonergan, F. Novak, W. McLaughlin, R. Semelsberger, S. Poklemba, M. Begolly (Manager)





J V Scores

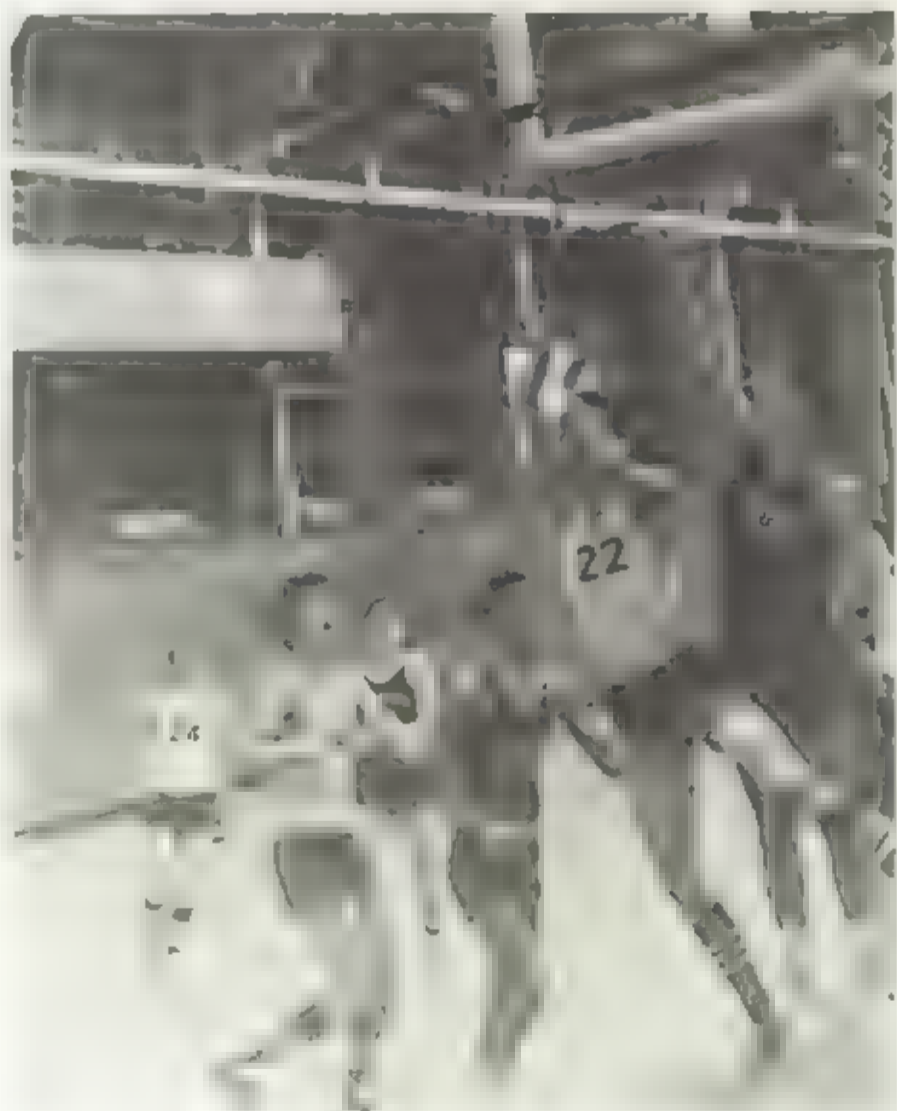
S V P

53	Bishop's Latin
28	Quigley
32	Ligomer
31	Lawrenceville
41	Bishop's Latin
40	Rockwood Area
37	Worthington
42	Elderton
38	Jefferson-Morgan
40	Salisbury
45	W P S D
44	St. Joseph Hall
48	Salisbury
26	W P S D
33	Kiski Prep
41	St. John
34	St. Marys
63	Fr. Kolb
34	Jefferson-Morgan
34	St. Joseph Hall
29	Fr. Geibel
44	St. John
50	Fr. Kolb

Opp

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Wins — 13 Losses 10



FROSH



First Row W. Jimerson, M. Ceriso, D. Butler, J. Heid, C. Kronenwetter, P. Cronmer, J. Owens
 Second Row R. Seier (Manager), I. Dorsa, N. Campagna, S. Helsley, S. Chlebovec, R. Griebner, I. Lakavich



Fresh Scores

SVP		Opp
8	Salisbury	37
27	Epomier	51
9	Epomier	45
42	St. Joseph Hall	27
29	Fr. Gebel	33
50	St. Marys	28
30	Truett Valley	7
48	Kisk. Prep	28
52	St. Marys	37
33	Kisk. Prep	14
22	Truett Valley	17
56	Fr. Gebel	63
59	St. Joseph Hall	26
46	Salisbury	19
66	W.P.S.D.	33
73	Bishop's Univ.	48
Wins 12		Losses 4



Intramurals



Conclusion

IF —

— Rudyard Kipling

If you can keep your head when all about you
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you,
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowance for their doubting too;
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,
Or being lied about, don't deal in lies,
Or being hated, don't give way to hating,
And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise

If you can dream — and not make dreams your master;
If you can think — and not make thoughts your aim;
If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster
And treat those two impostors just the same;
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,
Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken,
And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools:

If you can make one heap of all your winnings
And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss,
And lose, and start again at your beginnings
And never breathe a word about your loss;
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
To serve your turn long after they are gone,
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Except the Will which says to them: "Hold on!"

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,
Or walk with Kings — nor lose the common touch,
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,
If all men count with you, but none too much;
If you can fill the unforgiving minute
With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,
Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it,
And — which is more — you'll be a Man, my son!



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